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PETITION OF AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF ILLINOIS, INC. FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc. ("AT&T") respectfully request that it be granted leave to intervene and be made a party in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, AT&T states as follows:

- 1. AT&T is a telecommunications carrier authorized by the Commission to provide interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services within Illinois.
- 2. AT&T has an interest in this proceeding and the Commission's determinations herein, and AT&T anticipates providing information to the Commission that is relevant and useful. AT&T's participation will not impose delay in these proceedings.

WHEREFORE, AT&T respectfully requests that its Petition to Intervene be granted and that it be awarded status as a party in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc.

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VERIFICATION

I, Cheryl Urbanski Hamill, being first duly sworn, depose and state that I am an attorney for AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc. and that I have read the foregoing Petition of AT&T Communications Of Illinois, Inc. for Leave to Intervene and know the

contents thereof and that the statements therein contained are true, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me This 18th day of May, 2000.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Michael J. Lannon, hereby certify that on May 18, 2000, copies of the Petition of AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc. for Leave To Intervene in the abovecaptioned docket were served on all parties on the attached service list, via U.S. mail.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me This 18th day of May, 2000.

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